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PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Adopts Resolutions Favoring Greater San Francisco Movement and San Mateo Exhibit at 1915 Exposition.

The city board of trustees met in regular weekly session last Monday night.

A petition was received from the property owners on Aspen avenue asking that they be permitted to lay curbs and sidewalks in front of their property on that avenue.

Upon motion of Trustee Hickey, seconded by Trustee Healy, permission was granted.

Trustee Hickey introduced an ordinance fixing and establishing water rates to be charged by the local water company during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1911. The ordinance provides that consumers shall pay 25 cents per 1000 gallons, and 10 cents per 1000 gallons for city use, as at present.

W. J. Martin appeared before the board in behalf of the water company and asked that the rate to be paid by consumers be raised to 30 cents per 100 cubic feet, or 750 gallons, as the company had been running the plant and furnishing water at a loss since it started business, and at the present rate was still losing money. He said under the present law the company was entitled to 6 per cent on its investment, and it was necessary to raise the rate. The company has made no charge to the city for fire hydrants in the past for water used at fires.

The adoption of the ordinance will come up at the next meeting.

City Engineer Kneese reported that profiles for the curb and sidewalk work on both sides of Grand avenue, between Maple and Chestnut avenues, were ready.

Upon motion, a resolution was adopted instructing Clerk Smith to advertise for bids to do the work on said avenue.

Trustee Hickey reported that he had attended the convention under the auspices of the board of trade at San Mateo last Saturday afternoon and that a resolution had been adopted favoring a bill in the legislature which will enable San Francisco to start a movement to extend its territory.

Trustee Hickey also reported that he had conferred with L. H. Newbert, manager for the United Gas and Electric Company, in reference to laying gas mains from Mission road through the streets of this city. Mr. Newbert stated that his company would lay gas mains in this city if it were guaranteed a business here of at least \$150 a month.

Upon motion of Trustee Healy, seconded by Trustee McGovern, the reports were accepted.

Upon motion of Trustee Hickey, seconded by Trustee McGovern, Clerk Smith was instructed to write to manager Newbert to send a representative of the company here who would be escorted around the city by a committee from the board and aided in getting subscribers to take gas.

W. J. Martin asked the board to

adopt resolutions favoring the greater San Francisco movement and the proposition of amending the statutes so that the counties of California can levy taxes sufficient to raise money enough to pay for proper exhibits at Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915.

Upon motion of Trustee Hickey, seconded by Trustee McGovern, City Attorney Styles was instructed to prepare the resolutions.

Upon motion of Trustee Healy, seconded by Trustee McGovern, a committee of three consisting of Trustees Hickey, McGovern and McSweeney was appointed to go to Sacramento, Tuesday morning, to present copies of the two resolutions to Senator J. B. Holohan and Assemblyman Henry Ward Brown, this county's representatives in the legislature, and ask them to favor both propositions.

The following resolution in reference to the greater San Francisco movement was adopted:

"Resolved, by the board of trustees of the city of South San Francisco, That it is the sense of this board that any bill or measure which will enable the city and county of San Francisco to expand and become a greater San Francisco is very much desired and is hereby requested; and be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to our county representatives in this State legislature—Assemblyman Brown and Senator Holohan—and that they and each of them be and he is hereby requested to use every legitimate means within his power to that end."

The following resolution in reference to county exhibits at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915 was also adopted:

"Whereas, It is the desire of the people that a suitable county exhibit be provided for the Panama-Pacific Exposition; and

"Whereas, Under the law, as it now exists, there is no adequate means provided for the securing of the necessary funds for that purpose; therefore be it and it is hereby

"Resolved, by the board of trustees of the city of South San Francisco, That it is the sense of this board that our representatives in the State legislature be instructed and requested to do all in their power to secure the passage of an enabling act to provide a fund for this object in the various counties of the State."

Upon motion of Trustee Healy, seconded by Trustee McGovern, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, by the board of trustees of the city of South San Francisco, That all streets within the limits of said city, as shown on the map of South San Francisco, be and they are hereby declared open public highways, and the superintendent of streets of

LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

E. C. Peck and Wm. Garrett, owners of Peck's Lots in this city, were visitors here on Tuesday last.

Thoroughbred White Plymouth Rock eggs, \$1.00 per setting of fifteen. Walter Money, South Francisco, Cal. *

Last Saturday, Wm. E. Woodard, while coupling cars on the belt line railway at the packing house, had several fingers on both his hands badly crushed.

Thoroughbred White Minorca and Rhode Island Red eggs, \$1.50 per setting.—A. A. Whitten, South San Francisco. Phone Main 14. *

To-night, The Jolly Six, an organization of young men in this city, will give an all-night ball at Metropolitan Hall. A good time is assured all who attend. There will be union music. Supper will be served at South City Restaurant. Admission 50 cents, ladies free.

To Let—Seven-room house; put in order to suit tenant; 558 Railroad avenue; rent \$10. Apply this office. *

Louis Ruschle was arrested in this city last Tuesday morning for drunkenness and locked up in jail here. About noon the same day he set himself afire some way. An alarm was sounded and the fire department responded quickly and rescued him. He was badly burned about the face, and was taken to the county hospital.

Carl Walter and Joseph O'Brien of San Francisco were arrested by Marshal H. W. Kneese in this city yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock on suspicion of setting fire to a four-room cottage on Baden avenue, near Orange avenue, about a half hour earlier. The property is being purchased under contract by Frank T. Barras of San Francisco from the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company. They say they were employed by Barras to retint the walls of the room and while heating glue with which to size the walls a gasoline lamp exploded and set fire to the house. The men were endeavoring to leave the city when arrested. They were taken to the County Jail last night. The house was partially destroyed. The uptown hose cart was drawn to the fire by school boys and the hose was ready to be coupled to a hydrant when the firemen arrived.

said city is hereby instructed to remove all barriers therefrom."

Upon motion of Trustee McGovern, seconded by Trustee Hickey, City Attorney Styles was instructed to prepare an ordinance providing for the inspection of milk supplied consumers in this city.

Contractor Wm. Quinn was granted two weeks extension of time in which to complete the work of macadamizing Mission road.

Upon motion of Trustee McGovern, seconded by Trustee Healy, Clerk Smith was instructed to notify Garbage Collector Bissett to see that garbage be collected more regularly in future, as complaints had been made to the board.

A CARD.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McEwen wish through the columns of The Enterprise to express to their many kind friends their gratitude for past and also for more recent evidences of good fellowship and esteem. Mr. McEwen would, in particular, express thanks to his old as well as his somewhat newer friends and associates in the Western Meat Company for their tangible expression of friendship in the beautiful keepsake presented to him upon leaving the company after having served in it from the time of its inception, nineteen years ago. Mrs. McEwen wishes also to express thanks to her friends for their beautiful gift and the really and truly surprise accompanying it. They bid their friends au revoir, and not good-bye.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

County Exhibit at Panama-Pacific Exposition Indorsed—Additional Justice and Constable For First Township

The county board of supervisors held its regular mid-month meeting at Redwood City last Monday.

Attorney Geo. C. Ross of Belmont and W. J. Martin of this city appeared before the board as a committee from a convention of representatives from all over San Mateo county, and stated that it was the unanimous wish of the convention that this county should be represented at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915 with a suitable exhibit. It was proposed to ask the Legislature to pass an amendment permitting counties to levy a series of taxes between now and 1915 to raise the necessary amounts for those displays. It was thought that San Mateo county should expend at least \$50,000 for a proper exhibit, and the committee asked the board to assist in the proposition by recommending to this county's representatives at Sacramento that they endeavor to have such legislation passed.

Upon motion of Supervisor Brown, seconded by Supervisor Francis, the following resolution was adopted:—

"Whereas, the Congress of the United States has adopted a resolution in reference to the holding of what is commonly known as the Panama-Pacific Exposition, in the city and county of San Francisco, in the year 1915, and which resolution has been approved by Hon. William H. Taft, President of the United States; and

"Whereas, It is the judgment of this board that it will be to the interest of every county of the State of California to be adequately represented by proper exhibits at such Exposition; now, therefore,

"Resolved, That we recommend such legislation by the present session of the Legislature as will give to the several boards of supervisors of the several counties of the State, authority to levy sufficient tax each year for the proper representation of each county of the State at such exposition, thereby enabling each county annually, by a nominal tax rate, to accumulate a creditable fund for its exhibit; and

"Resolved further, That a copy of the resolution be forwarded to the Hon. J. B. Holohan, joint senator from Santa Cruz county and this county, and to Hon. Henry Ward Brown, member of the assembly from this county, with the request that they use their best efforts to have proper legislation enacted at this session of the Legislature to enable the levy and collection of taxes for such purpose."

A communication was received from the Alameda county board of supervisors protesting against Senator Wolfe's amendment to the State constitution permitting the annexation of new territory by cities or counties and the formation of consolidated city and county governments.

Chas. M. Morse, editor of the San Mateo Leader, addressed the board and stated that the authors of the communication were deceiving the people. The proposed amendment will enable San Francisco to annex new territory with the consent of the people in the territory affected. The growth and development of San Francisco will mean the same for the Peninsula.

Upon motion of Supervisor Brown, seconded by Supervisor McEvoy, the following resolution was adopted:—

"Whereas, this board is informed that there is now pending before the Legislature of the State of California, a question of so amending the constitution of this State as to permit the Legislature to provide the method of submitting to the people the question of merging and consolidating

contiguous territory into one consolidated State and County government; and,

"Whereas, It is the judgment of this Board that such an amendment should be adopted; now, therefore,

"Resolved, That this board favors such an amendment and requests that Hon. J. B. Holohan, joint senator from Santa Cruz county and the county of San Mateo, and Hon. Henry Ward Brown, member of the assembly from this county, be requested to work and vote for such an amendment."

Recorder H. O. Heimer was granted additional clerical help at \$3 per day to prepare an abstract of the tax sales, redemptions and mortgages for the county assessor.

Tax Collector A. McSweeney was granted an adding machine for use in his office.

A resolution was adopted providing for a form of ballot for the Daly city incorporation election.

The members of the board presented lists of names of citizens of the county eligible to serve as trial jurors. They were approved, upon motion of Supervisor Casey, seconded by Supervisor Brown.

Those selected for the first township are—G. S. Burnett, W. J. DeGear, M. Burns, S. K. Fraser, T. D. Watson, W. Hickey, G. Washington, K. D. Patten, H. O. Kirby, G. W. Edwards, G. Lowans, W. J. Goldkuhl, P. G. G. Kunze, T. Sheehan, H. H. Smith, J. Wohlers, T. Wall, P. E. Fleming, W. T. Ford, H. Baker, W. E. Bills, A. Bertini, J. V. Bianchi, M. C. Ferron, Ed. Neyer, M. Oberhaus, A. Baradat, P. Faber, L. J. Flanders.

Upon motion of Supervisor Casey, seconded by Supervisor Brown, a resolution was adopted appointing Attorney John F. Davis of Easton as additional Justice and James Parker of Hillcrest as additional Constable for the first township.

Supervisors Casey, Brown and Blackburn voted in favor of the resolution, and Supervisors McEvoy and Francis voted against it.

Upon motion of Supervisor Blackburn, seconded by Supervisor Brown, it was ordered that a clock be placed in the Supervisors' room.

Supervisor Brown moved that the office of county physician be declared vacant, which was seconded by Supervisor Casey.

The vote on the motion was as follows:—Ayes—Supervisors Casey, Brown and Blackburn. Noes—Supervisors McEvoy and Francis.

Before declaring the result, Supervisor McEvoy changed his vote from no to aye, and gave notice that he would move for a reconsideration at the next meeting.

Recorder Heimer was given permission to change the arrangement of his office.

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NORTHBOUND TRAINS LEAVE

6:09 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
7:08 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
7:18 A. M.
7:42 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
8:03 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
8:28 A. M.
(Sunday only)
8:43 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
9:28 A. M.
9:53 A. M.
12:52 P. M.
3:06 P. M.
3:41 P. M.
5:28 P. M.
7:03 P. M.
7:29 P. M.
10:33 P. M.
(Sunday only)

SOUTHBOUND TRAINS LEAVE

6:47 A. M.
7:27 A. M.
8:26 A. M.
10:57 A. M.
11:57 A. M.
2:23 P. M.
3:16 P. M.
4:37 P. M.
5:22 P. M.
(Except Sunday)
5:57 P. M.
6:47 P. M.
10:17 P. M.
12:02 P. M.
(Theater Train)

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6:25 p. m.

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* NORTHBOUND DISPATCH.

8:03 A. M.
12:13 P. M.
3:43 P. M.
7:13 P. M.

† SOUTHBOUND DISPATCH.

6:37 A. M.
11:57 A. M.
2:16 P. M.

* Mails from south arrive.

† Mails from north arrive.

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CITY OFFICIALS

TRUSTEES—D. McSweeney (President),
F. A. Cunningham, J. C. McGovern, M. F.
Healy, Thos. L. Hickey,

Clerk.....W. J. Smith
Treasurer.....C. L. Kauffmann
Recorder.....A. McSweeney
City Attorney.....H. E. Styles
Marshal.....H. W. Kneese
Night Watchman.....W. P. Acheson
Garbage Collector.....A. G. Bissett
Poundmaster.....A. G. Bissett

BOARD OF HEALTH—Dr. H. G. Plymire,
E. E. Cunningham, Wm. Hickey, E. N.
Brown, Geo. Kneese (Secretary), Inspector,
A. G. Bissett.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES—Chas. Robinson, J.
H. Kelley, W. C. Schneider.

County Officials

Judge Superior Court.....G. H. Buck
Treasurer.....P. P. Chamberlain
Tax Collector.....A. McSweeney
District Attorney.....Franklin Swart
Assessor.....C. D. Hayward
County Clerk.....Joseph H. Nash
County Recorder.....H. O. Helmer
Sheriff.....J. H. Mansfield
Auditor.....Henry Underhill
Superintendent of Schools.....Roy Cloud
Coroner and Public Adm.....Dr. H. G. Plymire
Surveyor.....James B. Neuman
Health Officer.....W. G. Beattie, M. D.

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Constable.....Jas. C. Wallace
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LEGISLATIVE NOTES

IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY.

Speaker Hewitt took the floor for the first time Thursday when he called up Assembly bill No. 833, of which he is author. This bill makes radical changes in reclamation and swamp land district laws, the most important of which relates to the methods of assessments for improvements.

The bill passed without a dissenting vote. Following are measures on which action was taken:

A. B. 991, Crosby, relating to the organization and maintenance of the National Guard of California; passed.

A. B. 581, Slater, appropriating money for furnishing three cottages at the Sonoma State Home; passed.

Assembly Constitutional amendment No. 2, Held, making it binding upon the State School Department to retain books used in the schools for at least four years.

Assembly bills Nos. 85, 86, 88, 92, 93, 90, 94 and 955, Griffiths, making appropriations for the Napa State Hospital and the Veterans' Home at Yountville; passed.

A. B. 494, Rosendale, relating to liability of railroads for damages for killing stock on the rights of way; passed.

A. B. 70, Beatty, relating to work required to be done in appropriation of waters of the State; passed.

A. B. 980, Clark, relating to forest fires and the fighting of the same through Fire Wardens under the State Forestry Department; passed, after some opposition.

A. B. 821, Bliss, providing for the dissemination of knowledge among the people of California as to the best means of preventing the spread of tuberculosis; passed.

A. B. 829, Clark, a conservation measure to prevent the unnecessary waste of natural gas into the atmosphere; passed.

A. B. 992, Crosby, providing for the construction of tunnels, tubes and subways under navigable streams and bodies of water in California; passed.

A. B. 1141, McGowan, relating to the maintenance of officers and employees of State hospitals.

A. B. 883, Lyon of Los Angeles, relating to the liability of public officials for damages resulting from defects and dangers in streets, highways, public buildings, public work and property; passed.

The Senate Thursday afternoon decided to make the Gates bill, providing for the recall, a special order for Thursday night.

Lieutenant Governor Wallace shook the schoolmaster's rule at Senators and lobbyists Thursday at the opening of the session and told all that order must be preserved if the Upper House is ever to finish its business.

Lobbyists were shown the rule that informed them they are not welcome while business is being transacted. Senators were told that they should not use the lobby as a club room, that their habits in this respect delayed business. The sergeant-at-arms was told to study the rules and observe them.

Governor Johnson has signed Assembly Bill 888, Gerdes, regulating the employment of prisoners in the State prisons of this State and providing for the disposition of their skill and labor; also Assembly Bill 889, Gerdes, relating to the purchase of fute to be manufactured at the State Prison in San Quentin.

Governor Johnson also signed the measure amending the Penal Code of California to make it a crime for any one to entice a sailor from his ship. This is a law the justice of which has long ago been recognized by the United States Government and other Coast States, and attempt after attempt has been made in past Legislatures to get a similar law passed. Heretofore the measure has always been vetoed by the Governor. Governor Johnson gave as his reason for signing the measure that it was in every way a just provision, and he could see no reason why sailors should be restrained and made to work when other classes are not treated in that way.

The Senate has passed a measure adding several diseases to the list that must be reported by physicians to the Boards of Health. The measure is said to be backed by the State Board of Health. It is aimed to aid in the suppression of the so-called "red plague."

The following diseases are added to the list to be reported:

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VEGETABLES—A carload of Mexican tomatoes arrived in the vegetable market Thursday, but no new feature was reported in that description. Green peas ranged widely in quality and price. Asparagus was more plentiful, nearly a dozen boxes of the natural growth being on hand and selling at the sharply cut prices of 30@40 cents a pound.

Potatoes—Per ctl: River whites, \$1.50@1.75; Salinas Burbanks, \$2.25@2.30; Oregon, \$1.90@2.10; Lompocs, \$2.25@2.30; sweets, \$3@3.25. Tomatoes, 75c@1 for Southern and \$1.25@1.50 for Mexican, per box; garlic, 4c@5c per lb; hothouse cucumbers, per doz, 75c@1.25; egg plant, 10@15c per lb; summer squash, per box, \$1.50@2; peppers, per lb, 4@8c for Chile and 10@12½c for bell; rhubarb, 5@6c per lb for Southern and 10@11c per lb for Bay. Onions—Per sk: \$2.50@2.60 for Oregon and \$2.25@2.40 for California.

POULTRY—A fourth car of Eastern chickens rolled in over the holiday and was placed on sale Thursday. Domestic receipts continued light, 35 cases of dressed turkeys appearing among the day's receipts.

Poultry—Per doz: Hens, small, \$5@6; do, large, \$6@7; do, extras, \$8@10; old roosters, \$5@5.50; young roosters, \$6@7; do, full grown, \$8@9; fryers, \$6@6.50; broilers, large, \$4@4.50; do, medium, \$3.50@4; do, small, \$3@3.50; ducks, old, \$6@7; do, young, \$8@10; pigeons, old, \$1.50@1.75; do, young, \$2@2.50; do, squabs, \$3@4; geese, per pr, \$2@2.50; dressed turkeys, 20@25c.

DAIRY PRODUCE—With over 3300 cases of eggs received Thursday the quotation on fresh extras made their last show of resistance and dropped 1½ cents to their lowest figure so far, 20½ cents. The lower grades declined in sympathy. On the other hand, butter managed to close half a cent higher at 26½ cents. Friday butter closed at 27c and eggs at 20c for extras.

"We Americans," said Simeon Ford at a banquet in New York, "are justly a mous for our titles. 'I used to think that the finest of all our titles was that of Colonel Abraham Hardgrass, who told a questioner that he was neither a regular nor a volunteer Colonel, but a Colonel by marriage, having wedded the widow of Colonel Harrison Pike of Pink Creek. But I came across the other day a still better Colonel than this. He was rather seedy, and, handing me a soiled visiting card, he asked me in a low voice if I could lend him \$2. 'I glanced at his card. It was inscribed 'Colonel William Melcher Dana.' 'You are, I presume,' I said, 'a Colonel in the Army?' 'Yes, sir,' said he. 'Regular or Salvation?' I asked. 'Neither, sir,' he answered; 'army of the unemployed.'" — New York Press.

All afternoon Mr. Stubb had been moving pictures from one room to another, and his only reward was dust and perspiration.

"Hurry up, John," chided Mrs. Stubb, impatiently. "You will never finish at that rate."

Mr. Stubb removed the cobwebs from his florid brow.

"Woman, do you think I'm a machine?"

"Gracious, how funny!"

"Madam, may I ask what is funny?"

"Why, dear, if you were a machine you would be a moving picture machine."

And then and there Mr. Stubb washed his hands and started for the club.—Chicago News.

In a shop recently a well-known actress, who is noted for her perennial youth, asked for a traveling bag of alligator skin. The shopkeeper, who had none of that particular sort, brought out instead some of smooth leather.

"And you tell me this is alligator skin?" objected the actress. "Why, where are all its wrinkles?"

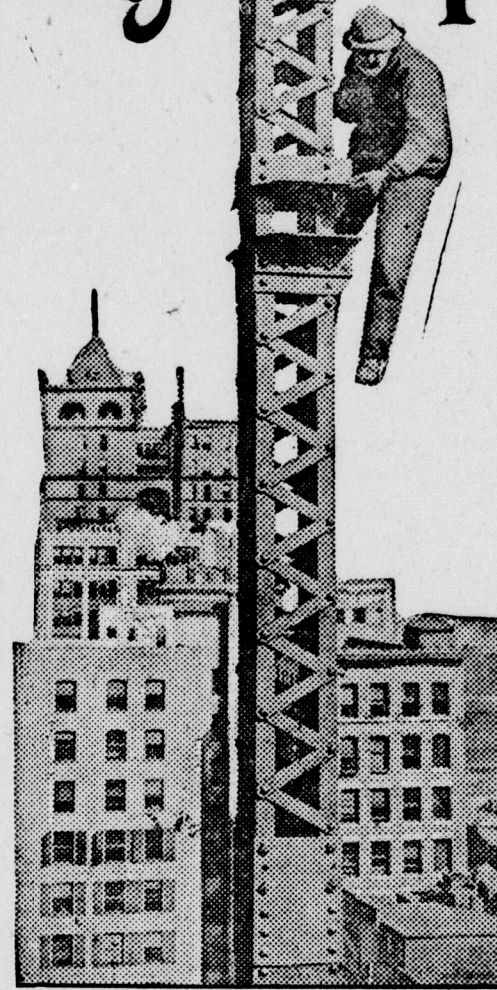
"Ah, madam," replied the wily dealer, who knew his customer, wrinkles are out of vogue. The correct alligator bag is made from the skin of an alligator that has been massaged." — Tit-Bits.

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The completion of the Bay Shore Tunnels has placed South San Francisco on the main lines of the Southern Pacific Railroad, and forty passenger trains per day connect it with the outside world.

With the completion of the Dumbarton Bridge and Cutoff, now rapidly being constructed, South San Francisco will have all railroads which center in San Francisco passing through its midst.

Many industries are already established here, chief of which are the Western Meat Company, the Wool Pullery, the Soap Works, the Baden Brick Company, Pacific Jupiter Steel Company, the Steiger Pottery Works, the W. P. Fuller White Lead Works, the South San Francisco Lumber and Supply Company, and other enterprises, all of which are in full operation to-day. The American Smelting and Refining Company has purchased over 300 acres of land in South San Francisco for the purpose of erecting a great plant, which they estimate will cost upwards of \$5,000,000. The Doak Sheet Steel Company has purchased a large tract of land and has already commenced the construction of a large rolling mill. Other factories have recently made purchases, and South San Francisco is plainly destined to fulfill all that its promoters had hoped.

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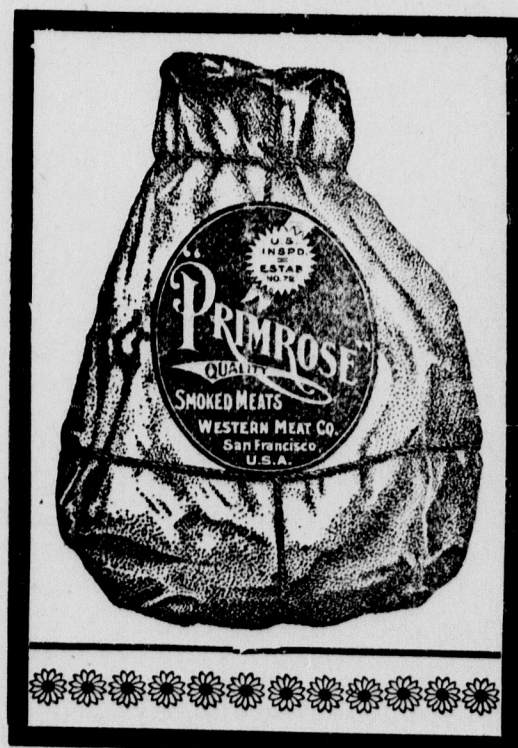
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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 25, 1911

Warren Olney, ex-mayor of Oakland and chairman of the Greater San Francisco general committee, is quoted as authority for the statement that "there are over 100,000 San Francisco business men who reside across the bay."

This is evidently an exaggeration, but the number of San Francisco business men who live in the trans-bay cities and towns is very large.

The number was greatly increased by the earthquake and fire catastrophe which laid San Francisco in ruins on April 18, 1906.

A portion of those who sought the shelter of trans-bay roofs have returned to domicile in resplendent new San Francisco, but the majority have become attached to their temporary home, and will make it permanent.

This is a serious loss to San Francisco, but is slight in comparison with the injury to the city through the loss of her factories destroyed by earthquake and fire.

During the past four years of San Francisco's rehabilitation the city's manufacturing industries have drifted away, and a very large proportion of these activities, absolutely essential to the life of a great city, have settled and taken root on the east shore of the bay, at Oakland, Alameda, Point Richmond and other trans-bay points.

These industries are the lifeblood of a city. They build homes, increase population, expand mercantile business, wholesale and retail, and enlarge bank deposits and dividends.

The true policy of San Francisco lies in fostering to the utmost the development of manufactures on the western shore of the bay, whether within or without the city limits. The permanent populations that will gather about these industries will upbuild San Francisco.

This is a big and vital question and San Francisco must solve it. It is opportunity, which an American statesman and poet has declared, knocks but once.

The completion of the Dumbarton bridge will aid in the solution, making it practical to land raw material in bulk direct, minus the bay ferry tax.

Lastly, the location of the Panama-Pacific Exposition on the bay front at Tanforan will aid very materially, extending San Francisco's water front and deep water harbor southward, and making available for manufacturing sites all the wide stretches of level low lying lands between Islais Creek and San Bruno.—From The Enterprise of May 21, 1910.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

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NEW TERMINAL STATION AT SAN FRANCISCO

The following is taken from a long article published in the San Francisco Call of Saturday, February 11th, on the subject of a new terminal station in that city to take care of the tremendous increase of passenger traffic from the east that will go by way of the Peninsula into San Francisco. Real estate men give their views on the subject, showing the necessity of a modern depot:

Since the Panama-Pacific exposition has become a certainty, real estate men and property owners generally are clamoring for a new passenger terminal station for this city.

In the absence of any statement from the Southern Pacific company, the public is left in doubt as to whether the proposed terminal will be built before 1915 or not.

Even the probable site is a matter of conjecture. There is a general belief that the railroad company contemplates the erection of a station at some time in the lower part of the city near the foot of Market street. It is known that considerable property has been acquired between the Third and Townsend streets station and Market and East streets.

The following statements of leading real estate men set forth many ideas and show the urgent need of a modern passenger depot:

E. L. Hoag of Lyon & Hoag—The time is ripe for the building of a large terminal station. It is one of the essential preparations for the fair. The people are entitled to it as a matter of convenience and civic pride. Moreover, it would pay the railroad to do it. A large terminal at the foot of Market street would greatly facilitate traffic and make many people come to San Francisco from the peninsula and San Jose. The Third and Townsend station is so repulsive and so hard to get to and from that many people are deterred from traveling back and forth from the peninsula, whereas that should be the most popular route to take out of town, both for travelers and commuters. A monumental terminal station is one of the things that we must have before the opening of the exposition.

Charles H. Kendrick of Stine & Kendrick—A great union terminal for the bay district and more particularly for San Francisco demands most careful consideration, in which the present conditions should not play such a large part as the logical development which the next ten to twenty years will bring to San Francisco and its environs.

Fred W. Hollman—The logical passenger terminal for the peninsula traffic, as well as the transcontinental and transbay passenger traffic, of San Francisco as it would be in any city unquestionably is as near the business center as possible, and the foot of Market street is as near the business center of the city as this terminal can reasonably be placed. The choice of this city as the exposition site will increase this traffic to a degree and in a space of time that no other development could have brought about. This will be but a commencement of the vast influx of easterners and foreigners who will journey westward to San Francisco in the next five years. The population of this city will grow fast, and this growth will increase railroad business in a like degree. For any increase in traffic, or for even the present traffic, the Third and Townsend streets station is inconvenient and inadequate, and an eyesore as well. It is hardly the place to present as a first impression to the important personages of the world who will visit us in 1915, and all main line trains will soon cross at Dumbarton, with the terminal at the coast line station. The extension of this terminal is sure to come, sooner or later. The increase in population will make that imperative, and why not establish a union depot at the ferry at once? San Francisco is entering upon an era of prosperity such as the world probably never has seen. It is beginning its growth as a really great city, and a modern terminal station is one of our greatest needs.

If you, want all the local news of the week you will find it in the columns of THE ENTERPRISE.

SAN MATEO COUNTY DEVELOPMENT BOARD

At the citizens' meeting, following the convention which met at San Mateo last Saturday for discussing plans for a county exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, a report was made relative to the organization of the San Mateo County Development Board.

Properly the report had no place at this meeting, as the committee derived its authority from a different source at a previous public meeting; but since a large number of citizens from various sections of the county were present it was deemed advisable to hear the report and make some disposition of it.

After the reading of the report, the secretary, Paul Pinckney, was directed to send a copy of it to the newspapers of the county with a request that they publish it for the public information. He was also directed to request Rev. W. A. Brewer, chairman of the meeting that authorized the committee, to call a public meeting to organize in conformity with the plan outlined in the report.

The report follows:
Gentlemen:—The Committee appointed to report a plan for a permanent organization, beg leave to report as follows:

1.—That in order to maintain a permanent and effective organization it is necessary to have an assured income sufficient to maintain permanent headquarters with a paid manager in charge who can attend to the details of the work; that for such purpose a minimum monthly income of at least \$200 per month is necessary.

2.—That if the foregoing premises be approved, your committee would recommend the following plan of procedure.

a.—That the permanent organization be effected under the name of San Mateo County Development Board.

b.—That the several members of the county board of supervisors and of the different boards of trustees of the different municipalities in the county be ex-officio members thereof.

c.—That a general membership be created from individuals and corporations who shall subscribe and contribute stipulated monthly sums towards the maintenance of the organization.

d.—That the county and the several municipalities each provide a special fund for expenditure under the guidance of the development board for general promotion.

e.—That the affairs of the development board be administered by a board of governors composed of fifteen members and who shall be elected at large. The board of governors shall appoint an executive committee and create such offices and appoint such other committees as it may deem advisable. It shall also have power to fix the times of annual meetings, and adopt all needful by laws and constitutional regulations.

f.—That this meeting appoint a time and place for the organization of the development board, and invite the ex-officio members and all public spirited citizens to be then present for the purpose of electing a board of governors and effecting a permanent organization.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. W. LOVIE,
CHARLES N. KIRKBRIDE,
H. N. ROYDEN,
S. D. MERK,

Committee.

February 1, 1911.
The object of the development board will be to foster all public movements, having for their purpose the exploitation and development of the county and its interests along all lines.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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IMPORTANT FOREIGN NEWS

A special dispatch from St. Petersburg says a rumor is current that a whole army corps of 36,000 men is preparing to re-occupy Kulja, a district of Chinese Turkestan.

General Brun, French Minister of War, dropped dead from a paralytic stroke at the office of the Ministry Thursday. General Brun was stricken a few moments after he had received the members of the staff in his private office.

Industrial Workers Still Tramping.

The company of Industrial Workers of the World marching to Fresno made seventeen miles from Hornbrook to Montague, going into camp about sundown. The men continue peaceable and orderly, buying and paying for what supplies they need. They have been unable to board a freight-train, as they had hoped, and at the present rate of progress will not reach Fresno, their announced destination, inside of six weeks.

Refuse to Prohibit Intermarriage.

Intermarriage between whites with Japanese, Hindoo, Indian or Kanaka is not to be made unlawful in Oregon despite the efforts that have been made in the Senate to force through Peterson's House bill having this for its object. The bill was indefinitely postponed amid a storm of protest in the closing hour of the session.

Pope Continues to Improve.

The Pope's condition is very satisfactory to his physicians. Dr. Ettore Marchiafava, the consulting physician, paid his usual weekly visit to his holiness and found him comparatively well, considering his recent indisposition. Dr. Marchiafava commended the maintenance of precautionary measures in order to prevent a relapse, and advised that audiences should not be resumed at present.

Policeman Kills Jailer.

Fred Higgins, mounted policeman, shot and fatally wounded Tranquillo Lopez, jailer of Dona Ana county, Texas, in Las Cruces, N. M. Higgins had arrested two men and carried them to jail, but Lopez refused to receive them. A dispute followed, in which Lopez was shot, dying from the effect of his wounds early Feb. 19th.

Kaiser to Visit London.

It has been officially announced that Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria would go to London in May to be present at the unveiling of the monument in memory of Queen Victoria.

William Rockefeller Better.

William Rockefeller, who is ill with lumbago, continues to improve, it is stated at his residence, and his early recovery is looked for.

Suffrage Beaten in Iowa.

The Iowa House has killed the joint resolution providing for a Constitutional amendment giving suffrage to women.

No Goods Delivered.

In Buffalo there lives a boy, now some seven years old, who is the proud owner of a bulldog designated as Mike and a much prized pony. Recently a visitor, endeavoring to test the child's knowledge of the value of money, said: "Willie, I'll give you 10 cents for either Mike or the pony. Which will you sell?"

Willie pondered for a moment. "Gimme the dime. You can go get the pony," he said.

The visitor handed over the coin and then strolled out as though to go to the barn.

"Why, Willie! Would you rather he should have your pony than Mike, and do you think 10 cents is enough for a pony?" his mother protested.

Willie paused at the door and grinned.

"You know Mike is out at the barn, an' if any one can take that pony out while he's there he's welcome to him. I'd 'a' sold him for a cent!"—Harper's.

Agnes was being hurried off to bed at her usual hour 8 p. m. despite the fact that there were guests in the house. "Why, Agnes, you go to bed with the chickens, don't you?" avisor sympathetically remarked.

"No, I don't," replied Agnes, resenting his reference to her youth. "I go to bed with mamma."—Harper's Magazine.

NOTICE INVITING SIDEWALK WORK PROPOSALS

Pursuant to the Statute and to the Resolution adopted on the 20th day of February, 1911, by the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, directing this notice, said Board invites and the undersigned will receive at his office in said City of South San Francisco, up to eight (8) o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1911, sealed proposals for the following sidewalk work to be done in said city, according to the plans, specifications and profiles filed therefor, to wit:

That Grand avenue, between the easterly line of Maple avenue and the easterly line of Chestnut avenue, including all street intersections, be improved by constructing concrete curbs therein on both sides of said avenue, and for the full length as above specified, excepting where such curbs are already constructed; and by filling in earth back of said curb, so as to bring sidewalks between curb and artificial stone sidewalks to official grade; and by constructing artificial stone sidewalks therein, having a width of five (5) feet, commencing five (5) feet from the property line and extending five (5) feet towards the curb line, excepting where such sidewalks are already constructed, all in accordance with the profiles prepared therefor, and with the plans and specifications adopted by said Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, on the 14th day of November, 1910, and to all of which reference is hereby made for description of said work and further particulars.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the president of the Board of Trustees of said city, certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or a bond for the said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and two (2) sureties, who shall justify before an officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

Dated, South San Francisco, California, February 20, 1911.

[SEAL] WILLIAM J. SMITH,

Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco.

2-25-21

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of WILLIAM S. BARNES, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of William S. Barnes, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, H. G. Plymire, at his office in the courthouse, at Redwood City, San Mateo County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

H. G. PLYMIRE, Administrator of the estate of William S. Barnes, deceased.

Dated February 16, 1911.
Harry E. Styles, Attorney for said Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of James Joseph McEntee (also known as James J. McEntee), Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of James Joseph McEntee (also known as James J. McEntee), deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the law office of Charles N. Kirkbride, Esq., situated in the Jennings Building, at No. 318 B street, in the City of San Mateo, in the County and State aforesaid, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said County of San Mateo.

Dated at San Mateo, Cal., February 24, 1911. EDWARD FARRELL, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Said Deceased.

2-25-51

GREAT CLEARING SALE

In order to make room for our Spring Stock we have decided to close out all of our odds and ends of Fall and Winter Goods at greatly reduced prices,

AT SCHNEIDER'S

227 GRAND AVENUE South San Francisco

BLOODLESS BATTLE ON FLOOR OF HOUSE

Delegate from Alaska and Wyoming Representative Mix

Another bloodless battle was fought on the floor of the House of Representatives late Thursday at Washington. It came during a somewhat heated debate on a bill for the leasing of coal lands in Alaska. The lie was passed by Mondell, and, as the short



HON. F. W. MONDELL
Representative from Wyoming

and ugly word rang out, Delegate James Wickersham of Alaska made a rush for Representative Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming, who was seated at a nearby desk.

The big Alaskan's right arm shot out twice in the direction of the gentleman from Wyoming, but members who surrounded the disputants at the time say that both blows fell short. The House was in an uproar in an instant. Several members hurled themselves on Wickersham; others were struggling with Mondell, who had gained his feet and was making for his assailant. Representative Foster



DELEGATE WICKERSHAM

of Vermont had taken Wickersham by the throat. This added to the uncontrolled anger of the delegate, and for a moment diverted his attention toward the would-be peacemaker. Representative Sisson of Mississippi was first to reach Mondell, who was endeavoring to raise the chair in which he had been sitting to hurl it at his antagonist. Members rushed on the combatants and separated them. Later both apologized and the incident was closed.

SPORTS AND ATHLETICS

Eddie Johnson of Salt Lake City knocked out Kid Taylor of Pueblo in the ninth round at Pueblo, Colo.

Glenwood Park in Nevada City, Cal., is to be used as a breeding ground for quail. Deputy Game Warden Ray O'Connor has arranged to bring a large number of quail there and the Nevada County Traction Company which owns the park, has guaranteed protection for the birds.

The first mountain lion killed in Napa county in many years was brought into Napa by Henry Samuels. He treed the animal in Rag canyon and killed it with one shot.

JAPANESE TREATY AT SACRAMENTO

Governor Thinks State Interests Safe at Washington

The question of Japanese exclusion flared up again Thursday in the California Legislature, spreading from the Senate to the Assembly. The latter adopted a resolution identical with one adopted Wednesday by the Senate, calling upon the President and the California delegation in Congress to safeguard the interests of the State. A telegram from President Taft to Governor Johnson induced the Executive to break a consistent silence and send to the Legislature all his telegraphic correspondence on the subject, and further agitation is promised by the Democratic minority. Late Thursday Governor Johnson made the following statement:

"I know nothing of the treaty. The matter in which the people of the State are interested is exclusion.

"The question is, do we get exclusion?"

"The President of the United States says we do, and that ends the matter so far as I am concerned."

Governor Sends Dispatches.

The message of Governor Johnson quotes the dispatch he received from President Taft as follows:

"I have the resolution transmitted to you. The treaty and the assurances from Japan as to the continuance of the recent agreement are exactly such as you approved when the Secretary of State and I explained them to you. Will you not explain this to the two houses of your Legislature, to prevent action by reason of a misunderstanding?"

The Governor then says:

"In explanation of this telegram I convey to you that in December, while in Washington, in conversation with the President and subsequently with Secretary Knox, I stated that in my opinion the people of the State of California desired Japanese exclusion. The President and the Secretary declared that the existing arrangement with Japan accomplished this purpose and that such arrangement would be continued in the future. I deemed the mode of accomplishing this was for the Federal Government alone; but that if accomplished our people would be satisfied."

GENERAL NEWS EVENTS

United States appropriations for California in the Sundry Civil Bill are: Sacramento Postoffice, \$15,000, for remodeling; Chico public building, \$20,000; California Debris Commission's expenses, \$10,000; Yosemite National Park, \$50,000; Baird and Battle Creek fish hatchery, \$5250.

The Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill, carrying a total of \$140,590,031, including \$3,000,000 for fortifying the Panama canal, was completed by the Appropriations Committee Thursday and immediately reported to the House. It is \$14,486,503 less than the estimates.

Edward McQuade, for nearly twenty-five years coachman for the Secretary of War, was killed in a runaway accident at Washington. He was driving Secretary Dickinson's two-year-old granddaughter, Helen Dickinson, and Miss Dunning, her governess, both of whom escaped injury. The horses were frightened by a piece of paper blown by the wind, and the driver was thrown from his seat. McQuade had driven the War Department carriage for Secretaries Endicott, Proctor, Lamont, Elkins, Alger, Root, Taft, Wright and Dickinson.

Three armored French cruisers—the Gloire, Admiral Aubez and Conde—anchored in the Mississippi river off Canal street, New Orleans, Wednesday night, sent by the French Government to participate in the Mardi Gras festivals. This is the first visit of the French battleships in that port during Mardi Gras since the festivities were inaugurated. Six hundred French bluejackets will march in the parades.

State Poultry Association.

Officials of the San Jose Poultry Association have determined upon the organization of a Pacific Coast Poultry Association, one object of which will be the greatest exhibition of fine fowls at the Panama-Pacific Exposition that has ever been seen in the United States. Prominent poultry men will meet in San Jose the 2d of next month to get the project under way.

TERSE CALIFORNIA NEWS

H. F. Blanchard, a rice expert of the National Plant Introduction Garden at Chico, declares that there is no reason that Butte county should not rank among the foremost rice producing counties. That corn growing is not given the attention it should by Sacramento valley farmers is the declaration of L. L. Zook, another expert from the Plant Introduction Garden, whose specialty is corn.

Mme. Calve, who arrived in San Francisco Friday on the Chiyo Maru, has the prospect of spending a week in quarantine on Angel island in company with her fellow-passengers on the Japanese liner. A wireless received Thursday night from the Chiyo stated that there is a case of smallpox in the first cabin and that the steamer would probably go into quarantine on her arrival.

After a whirlwind anti-saloon campaign, Visalia has been voted dry at a special election by 141 majority. Visalia is the last town of Tulare county to vote out the saloons, and when they have closed their doors the entire county will be devoid of liquor houses. The entire vote cast was 1200. Of these 518 were for wet and 659 for dry. Twenty-three were thrown out because of incorrect balloting. The first count showed a majority of only 138, but because of a slight error the saloon men demanded a recount, which gave the anti-saloonists a larger majority by three votes.

Plans for a public park have been taken up by the Women's Improvement Club of Vallejo, and a big park with a public playgrounds is to be laid out before the exposition in 1915. Under the operation of the new charter a number of street contracts are also to be let.

Antonio Lozano, Mexican Consul at Los Angeles, has prepared a protest to be presented to the Federal authorities, alleging repeated violations of the neutrality laws in that city. The charge is made that the present insurrecto force at Mexicali is largely maintained by funds supplied from there and that many recruits have been sent from Los Angeles to Mexico. Senor Lozano also charges that a paper is being published there in the Spanish language which openly espouses the cause of the insurrectos.

That the Southern Pacific Railroad will begin work on the great tunnel to be run under the Sierra Nevada between Cisco and Donner very soon was learned in Auburn from authentic sources. A party of engineers who are engaged on the cut-off work will be in Auburn for several months at least. From this it is supposed that Auburn will be the head office.

The Hood rubber mills, in East Watertown, Mass., have been shut down until February 27th because of a lack of orders. The company's employees number 3500 operatives. The Boston cotton mills at Watertown, Mass., have 1000 hands idle, the result of a strike of seven men for an advance of wages.

"SCOTTY" REAPPEARS

Mysterious Miner Again Appears in Winnemucca.

"Death Valley Scotty," the man of mystery from the Funeral range, has again budded forth laden with golden nuggets, gathered from no one knows where and worth no one knows how much.

"Scotty" appeared unheralded and unexpected on the streets of Winnemucca Thursday clad in his characteristic garb, the slouched sombrero, blue flannel shirt, red handkerchief, much worn overcoat, old black trousers and miner's boots. Notwithstanding his poverty stricken appearance "Scotty" was able to "deliver the goods" and from the hidden folds of his attire drew forth several small bags of the glittering yellow metal.

As usual, "Scotty" is uncommunicative as to where he acquired his last installment of wealth. It is said, however, that he has picked up the mother lode from whence came the placer gold extracted by Chinese in the Humboldt range years ago.

Coal Miners Stand by Mitchell.

At a largely attended meeting of residents of the Lehigh coal fields at Madoo, Pa., resolutions were adopted condemning the action of the United Mine Workers by which John Mitchell faces the alternative either of severing his connection with the Civic Federation or his membership in the Mine Workers' organization. A telegram was sent to Mr. Mitchell saying those gathered in the meeting denounced the action of the Columbus convention and positively proclaim their faith in his honesty, sincerity and integrity.

JAPANESE TREATY DELAYED IN SENATE

Western Senators Ask Constituents for Sentiments

The United States Senate, although in executive session for two hours late Thursday, again failed to ratify the treaty with Japan, sent to that body on Tuesday by the President. But it appears to be in somewhat improved position.

Senator Hale is said to have exhibited no opposition to it at the session Thursday. Several Far Western Senators, however, asked further time to study the matter, especially to ascertain the sentiments of their constituents, after they had time to understand the nature of the treaty.

The immigration question is said to have been the question most discussed in the executive session. That the practical effect of the treaty in that respect is not at all what the people of the Pacific Coast have assumed it to be, and that their fears are groundless, was the essence of a telegram sent by President Taft to Governor Johnson of California.

The President assured Governor Johnson that the treaty and the accompanying documents were exactly as they were explained to the Governor by himself and the Secretary of State, and that there is no danger of any relaxation of the recent restrictions upon the immigration of Japanese laborers.

He asks the Governor to explain the truth of the matter to the California Legislature, believing that the resolutions adopted by that body Thursday were occasioned by a misunderstanding of the treaty.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES

The east-bound China and Japan Fast Mail on the Southern Pacific, known in railroad circles as No. 10, was wrecked in the canyon of the Humboldt river, one mile and a half west of Palisade, Nev., shortly before 9 o'clock Monday night. No one was killed, but fifteen passengers were injured, of whom a man and a woman will probably die. The others are painfully hurt, but the injuries of most of them are not serious. A broken rail caused the disaster.

Seven persons lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the home of J. B. Hardin in Sutton, W. Va. Only Hardin escaped, the six remaining members of his family and a little girl who made her home with the Hardins perishing in the flames.

Harry S. Harkness, the young New York millionaire sportsman, narrowly escaped death at San Diego when a puff of wind drove his Antoinette monoplane to the ground, crumpling up one of the wings and smashing the propeller. At the time Harkness was about ten feet in the air, and he claimed afterward that if he had been higher he could have righted the machine and escaped a wreck. A peculiar feature of the accident was the fact that the propeller, just before striking the ground, cut a wild rabbit in two.

Elmer Flick is trying to get his unconditional release from the Cleveland club. Last summer the veteran outfielder was sent to the Kansas City team, but the Naps kept a string on him, and now he wants to get away for good.

After having been placed on five years' probation by Judge R. H. Latimer, Mason Culver, a youth who has engaged the attention of the Contra Costa county juvenile authorities for the last few years, has started for his home at Fort Wayne, Ind. He left in custody of Frank Gavin of Concord, who will turn the youth over to his father, Dudley M. Culver, in Chicago. Culver was arrested in Concord several years ago. Gavin took charge of him. The boy violated his probation by stealing a horse and buggy, as a result of which he has been in the county jail for the last year.

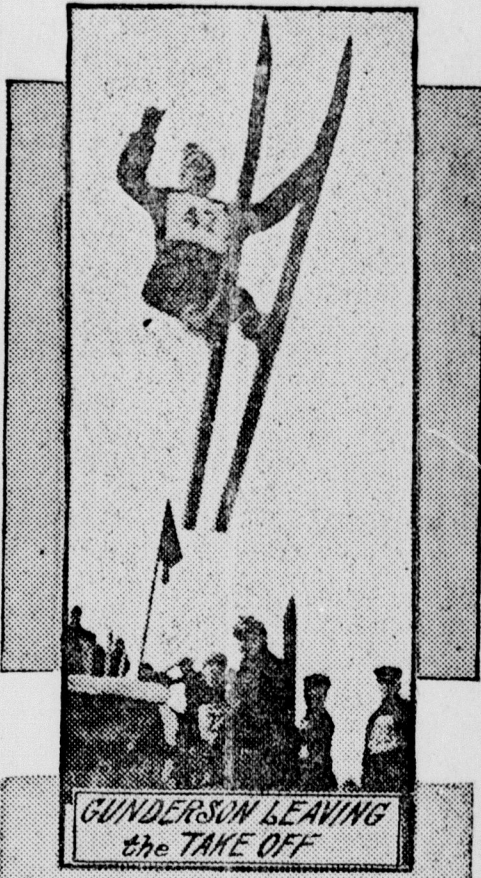
Exiled Nuns en Route to Oregon.

Six nuns, driven out of Portugal by the Republican Government which de-throned King Manuel, arrived in New York en route to Baker City, Ore. They are of the Irish Dominican Order, and have been invited to Oregon by the Bishop of that diocese to aid the Capuchin mission and to found a convent. Mother Mary Catherine Hoth, who was in charge of the party, told of the nuns' escape to England following the edict which expelled them from Portugal on but six hours' notice.

BREAKS RECORD FOR SKI JUMPING

Andrew Haugen, Michigan, Is Now Ski Champion

All the American records for ski jumping were broken at Ironwood, Mich., at the annual tournament of the Ironwood Ski Club by Andrew Haugen of Chippewa Falls, last year's national champion, who jumped 152 feet.



The previous American record of 140 feet was made at Marquette a year ago by August Nordby of Superior, Wis. Amateur Champion Barney Riley of Coleraine, Minn., jumped 154 feet, but fell.

CAVALIERI SETTLES CLAIMS

Prima Donna Accepts a Small Sum to End Controversy.

It has been given out by friends of Lina Cavallieri who are conversant with her domestic difficulties that the singer has at last succeeded in obtaining a financial settlement from her husband, Robert Winthrop Chanler, and that all the court proceedings have been dropped. If anything further is done in this case it will be simply a suit to obtain a separation.

Who opened negotiations by which the settlement was brought could not be learned. The singer's brother has returned to France and no one could be found who knew of the terms. It was admitted by her friends, however, that she had tired of her position and that in all probability she had relinquished her marriage contract on surprisingly small terms.

FRATERNAL DIRECTORY

TIPPECANOE TRIBE No. 111, I. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 p. m. in Metropolitan Hall. Visiting Bros. welcome.

CHAS. H. WOODMAN, Sachem.
Geo. E. Keissling, Keeper of Records.

SOUTH CITY AERIE No. 1473, F. O. E., meets every Tuesday evening in Metropolitan Hall at 8 p. m. J. H. KELLEY, Worthy President. Harry Edwards, Secretary. Visiting brothers welcome.

SAN MATEO LODGE, No. 7, JOURNEYMEN BUTCHERS, P. and B. A., meets every 2d and 4th Mondays in the Lodge Hall, at 7:30 p. m. J. M. COSTA, President. C. L. KAUFFMANN, Secretary.

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Queer Miss Egerton

She Was Unintelligible to the Last

By EMMA MOREHOUSE

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Miss Marcia Egerton was a peculiar girl. She seldom did anything as any one else would do it and was always doing things in a way that no one else would think of doing them. It is the purpose of this story to chronicle the roundabout way she acted in a matter that concerned herself and several other people.

In the first place, Miss Egerton, who was an orphan, inherited a large estate and came into possession of it when she was eighteen years old. The next most important thing about her was an intimate friend. Before her mother's death, when she was but twelve years old, she had conceived a violent affection for Agnes Hart, who was badly named, because she was not possessed of a heart at all. Marcia's mother opposed the intimacy and when her daughter was sixteen years old sent her off to school with no other purpose than to get her away from Agnes, but without avail. The two girls kept up an almost daily correspondence during the whole period of their separation and on Marcia's return were more intimate than before.

Mrs. Egerton died when Marcia was twenty, leaving her daughter her own mistress and in possession of a large property. She took her friend Agnes to live with her and lavished upon her everything a girl could desire. Several young men, each of whom would have liked to win Marcia either for herself or her fortune, declared that they were unable to separate her long enough from her girl friend to do so. And it was facetiously remarked that any one who married Miss Egerton must have two wives.

Marcia became interested in a young man—Edwin Bond—who found more opportunity to court than he availed himself of. He admired Marcia; but, having no fortune himself, he objected to being tied to a woman who possessed one. He was one of those young men who feel the zest of making a place for themselves in the world and knew that to do this he must be forced on by a powerful stimulus, for the man who marries a fortune is provided for, and he pays the price, which is



TWO PERSONS ENTERED.

—in nine cases in ten—constantly being reminded that his wife holds the purse strings and—money is power.

Marcia, not making any headway with Edwin Bond, chose another lover, Cecil Baxter. Mr. Baxter was a frequent visitor at her house and divided his attentions between the two girls. His inclinations drew him rather toward Agnes than Marcia, but since Marcia possessed a fortune and Agnes was poor he accepted the encouragement of the former and proposed to her and was accepted.

When a certain scheme of Marcia Egerton's was whispered about, all who heard it wondered at her infatuation for her bosom friend. On the ground that she did not feel that she would live long she made a will leaving half her estate to a charitable institution to be named for and in memory of her mother. The other half she divided between her lover and her bosom friend.

Those who were observant noticed that Baxter's inclinations were rather toward his fiancée's friend than his fiancée. They also noticed that the friend, except when the fiancée was present, did not show any disposition to compel Mr. Baxter to reserve his especial attention for his betrothed. These people said, "What a pity that Marcia should not take herself off to heaven, leaving the poor their share of her estate and the lovers the rest of it." And yet there were others who

claimed that, no matter what happens out of usual and conventional lines, tongues will wag; that these three young people understood one another thoroughly, and that was all there was about it. All agreed that the bequest was very lovely in Marcia, who was just the kind of girl to look out for the happiness of others and was as simple minded as a child.

Meanwhile Marcia Egerton seemed to be slowly failing. Her physician advised her to visit other lands. Since she couldn't very well go alone it was suggested that she be married and travel with a man. But she replied that she did not propose to throw any such obloquy upon a husband as making a courier of him. Then it was announced that she would take her girl friend with her. At this every one said: "That is exactly what was to have been expected. The society of the bosom friend is necessary; that of the fiancé is not."

The two friends one day in January sailed on a Mediterranean steamer for Egypt. That is the last any one in America heard from them for several months; then one day Agnes returned, saying that she had left Marcia starting for a trip through the Holy Land. She reported her friend very much improved in health and not at all averse to traveling alone. Agnes was tired of traveling and preferred to go home. As soon as Marcia learned this, which Agnes said she had tried to keep a secret, Marcia would not bear of her remaining abroad any longer. Agnes, after refusing for a long while to return, had been literally compelled to do so by Marcia.

Since Agnes and Baxter were seen together a great deal after her return critical persons said that Agnes had come home purposely to monopolize him. The case excited more talk than any social happening that had been discussed in the place for years. Every one wondered that Marcia Egerton should be so blind. By some she was blamed for offering inducement for crime. Here were two lovers between whom she stood and who might be tempted to put her out of the way that they might be united, each with considerable means, into possession of which they would come at her death.

Then came a report that an American lady traveling in the Holy Land had been robbed and murdered. The report was confirmed, and the lady's name was given as Marcia Egerton. She had gone off on an excursion to a lonely place with a single guide where there was something curious to see, and he had returned to report that they had been set upon by thugs, the lady murdered and her money, including traveler's checks, taken. He said that he had buried the body at the place of the murder.

Baxter cabled and wrote to United States consuls nearest the scene of the tragedy asking for information. Nothing was adduced except the statement of Miss Egerton's guide, which was taken down in writing and sworn to. After waiting six months for the girl to turn up, nothing having been heard from her, the will was admitted to probate.

The evidence of the testator's death being deficient, the case dragged. Certain relatives who had hoped to benefit by the will opposed a settlement of the estate under the plea that there was not sufficient evidence that Miss Egerton was dead. It was six months after the reported death that the chancery court agreed to pay over to beneficiaries the three parts into which the estate was divided by the will.

About this time the announcement was made of the engagement of Cecil Baxter and Agnes Hart. A statement went forth that Marcia Egerton had had a presentiment that she would be summarily cut off and had requested in the event of her being so that the lover was to marry her friend. With angelic unselfishness she had provided in her will for their comfort. This satisfied every one except certain persons who had been watching Mr. Baxter and Miss Hart. They averred that though they might state truly Miss Egerton's part of the transaction it left much to be explained on the part of the two who were about to be married and inherit a fortune from her who was to have been the bride.

Baxter and Miss Hart were finally able to count on a date when their inheritance would be paid over to them, and they arranged to be married the day after receiving it. They agreed that they would place a stained glass window in the church they attended to the memory of the noble girl who had left each of them a comfortable fortune. The plan was laid, but the order for the work was not to be given until their property had been turned over to them. For a wedding trip they were to go to the Holy Land to gather information of the woman they loved and, if possible, bring the body home for burial.

One day they received a notice from their attorney that the papers in the case of their inheritance would be executed the next morning at 11 o'clock. They were all packed to go away as soon as the marriage ceremony had been performed the day after coming

into possession of their property. All other matters, including the order for the memorial window, had received attention.

On the appointed morning they called on their lawyer and were taken by him to the office where the transfer was to be made. While they were sitting there two persons entered, one of whom especially they had not expected to see. They were Edwin Bond and Marcia Egerton, now Mrs. Bond.

There is no record of what was said between the testator, who had returned to life, and her expected heirs. All that is known about the sequel to the meeting is that Mr. Baxter and Miss Hart were never married. As to the memorial window, it was not required.

Many blamed Mrs. Bond for her action in deceiving her two friends, especially for going abroad and hiring a native to report her murdered. How she made it up with Bond she never told, but it was known that he went abroad while she was there and they were married there.

It has been said at the beginning of this story that Miss Egerton was a peculiar girl. What she meant by her performance, at what point she discovered the truth about Baxter and Agnes, she never told any one. She certainly went far out of her way to punish them, and punished them very severely. Whether they received more than they deserved is a question.

HENRY HORN'S TACT.

Why He Was Always Selected to Break Painful Tidings.

In the second week of his pastorate in a west side chapel the new minister appointed Henry Horn to make a soothing address to a band of the parish's insurgent workmen. The pastor had never met Henry Horn, because Henry seemed a hard man to corner for a personal interview, but a study of church records had convinced him that Henry possessed infinite tact and was just the man for the delicate mission. The day after he wrote apprising Henry of the new duty laid upon him Henry's wife appeared, pale with apprehension.

"It's out of the question," she said. "Henry can't talk to anybody."

"But he's just the man who can do it," said the pastor. "I chose him for his tact."

"Tact?" said she.

"Yes, tact. The church papers show that last year eight men in the parish who were engaged in hazardous occupations suffered a fatal accident, and in each case Henry Horn was appointed to inform the family of their loss. If he had not been a tactful man he would not have been chosen."

"Oh," said she, "it wasn't on account of his tact; it was his stuttering. It took Henry so long to tell it that the folks found out there was something the matter before he got to the point and were saved the shock of hearing it sudden."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Another Way Out.

In one of Glasgow's finely laid out cemeteries a rich citizen, who was notorious as a skeptic, had erected a massive mausoleum on what he terms "his ancestral plot." One day he met a worthy elder of the kirk coming away from the vicinity of the imposing mass of masonry, so he said to him, "Weel, Davit, ye've been up seein' that gran' erection o' mine?"

"Deed hiv I, sir."

"Gey strong place that, isn't it? It'll tak' a mon a' his time tae raise out o' yon at the day o' judgment."

"Hoot, ma mon," said David, "ye can gie yerself little fash aboot risin' gin that day comes. They'll tak' the bottom out of it tae let ye fa' doon."

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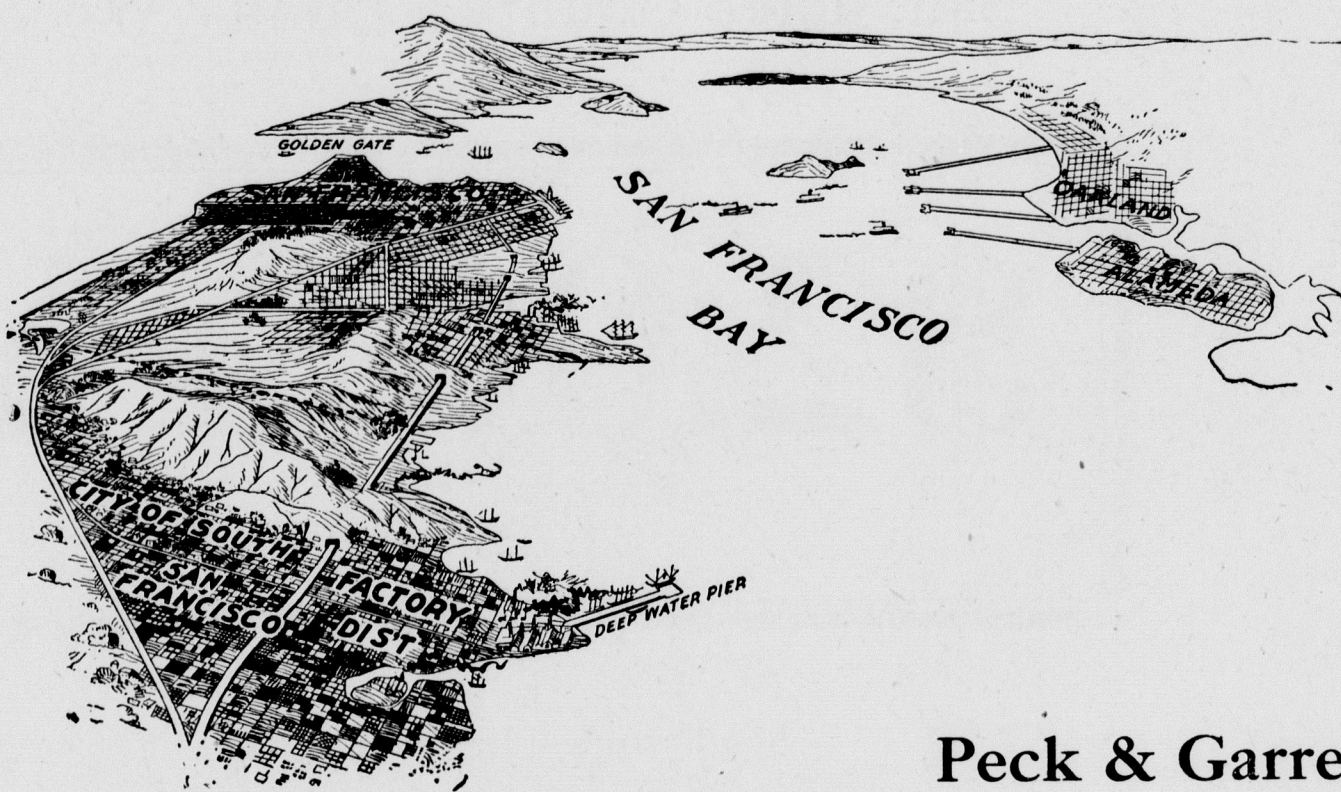
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NEWS NOTES FROM BUSTLING SAN BRUNO

The Ladies' Aid Society of San Bruno will give an entertainment and dance for the benefit of St. Bruno's Catholic Church on Saturday evening, March 18th. A committee is now busy making arrangements. Admission, 25 cents.

Any person contemplating laying cement sidewalks, foundations for buildings, or plastering, should consult D. J. Lynch, as he has suitable sand and gravel for the purpose and will furnish the same at reasonable rates.

A factory, although run on a small scale employing about six men to begin with, will soon be installed in San Bruno. As the demand of its output increases enlarged quarters will be established. Its product is a much sought article of standard requirements. Hopes are entertained by the promoters that within a year at least twenty men will be employed.

A concert, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church, will be given in the Church parlors on the 30th of March. A fine program is being arranged, which will be composed of vocal and instrumental solos, duets and recitations. This concert is to raise funds to pay off the remainder of the debt on the piano, and it is hoped will be largely attended by all the music lovers of San Bruno, as they will sure be disappointed if they fail to hear the fine local and city talent.

On a skyscraper frame reaching almost to the dizzy height of the bird-man's zone in the trackless path of ethereal vapor adjoining the famous Selfridge aviation field, better and more familiarly known as Tanforan Exposition site, stood, or to be precise, clinging to a girder lest he fall, Harry Palmer of the fifth addition last week. His sudden building is not actuated as many supposed in anticipating a rush for hotel accommodations by the influx of the advancing workmen. The building is simply a two-story barn to house the Emporium horses, wagons and

equipment. This is a much needed necessity to accommodate a large business.

The joint fire department committees submitted the petition of fifty tax payers required by law to organize a fire district at their last meeting. A. A. LoReaux was appointed a committee of one to file the petition with the Board of Supervisors last Monday at their regular session. About seventy-eight taxpayers signed, and every one approached would gladly have done so could they qualify. The need of a fire district is apparent to all thinking men, and no opposition to the project is heard from any one. San Bruno is all right when the people get together and have a clear understanding of their needs and requirements.

With a great outpouring of the people, the hall jammed to the doors, the Young Men's Institute gave one of its popular minstrel performances at Green's Hall last Tuesday evening. The United Railroads cars were filled with passengers coming from the north and south and San Bruno was their destination. San Mateo avenue resembled in the early evening a carnival night in Hayes valley. The hall was crowded long before the curtain rose. The audience was not disappointed, for the entertainers showed that their rehearsals were replete with careful training. Jokes and gags hit the mark and the audience was quick to follow the points made and therefore enjoyed the wit and originality. The singing and music would be creditable features even in the Orpheum circuit, and played before a critical audience, for there was not a dull number on the program. Every one deserved credit for their respective abilities in satisfying the large audience. At the conclusion of the minstrel show, dancing in the upper hall held the attention of those who were inclined to indulge in terpsichorean art. The music, furnished by the Y. M. I. orchestra from San Francisco, was enjoyed even by those who do not dance, and many lingered listening to the rhythm of its delightful strains.

To the Editor of THE ENTERPRISE—Sir:—The San Bruno news columns each week are filled with words that mean much for this locality. As a

commuter, traveling daily to and from San Francisco, I can bear testimony to the truth of the facts as they have appeared of late relative to the getting together of the people for an uplift of public matters that interest all alike. An index of the public pulse gathered from all quarters and commingled on the trains seem to beat in unison; and the knocker has little sympathy venting his prejudices. It is safe to say that in the future only a friendly difference of opinion will be debated and an amicable adjustment of the solution of questions of moment will be accepted with good grace, leaving no feeling of wrong doing to mar the composure of a sedate temperament. To buckle on the armor and do yeomen duty we should lose no time, for the signal calling for action can be discerned without the use of a telescope. A trite saying and a true maxim is, "God helps those who help themselves." Why should we sit sublimely by and depend on luck or the energy of other people to bring fortune or better conditions? Let us do our share to bring the Exposition to Tanforan; to help get a reduction of fares; study the benefits of incorporation, and when understood convince your neighbor that hundreds of thousands of towns have lifted themselves from inert darkness, and afterwards shone as a satellite of the brightest hue. A splendid proposition will shortly come before the people—that of a fire district. I hope to inform my commuter friends from lower Peninsula points the day after the election that this humane necessity received a unanimous vote, showing that the people of San Bruno are not penny wise and pound foolish. I would advise the people to push without delay that get together feeling and let activity be the watchword and the ever answering echo be, All's well.

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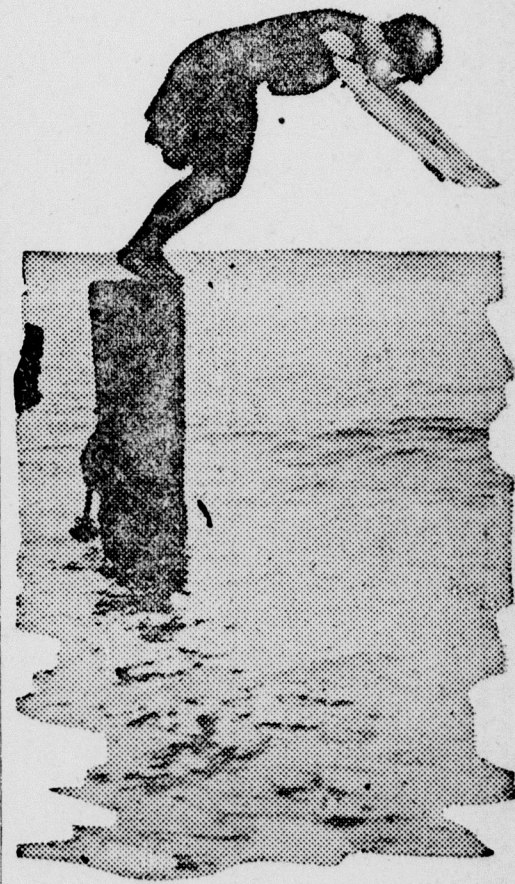
On February 9th, Miss Mary Mattle, whose long residence in South San Francisco, has won for her the friendship and best wishes of all her acquaintances, became the bride of C. S. Stokes, formerly of Minnesota. Mr. Stokes during his short residence here has won the esteem of all with whom he became acquainted. To celebrate this event several of their innumerable friends gathered together last Saturday evening and gave them a surprise party. It started with a serenade and the music was not very harmonious, being comprised of a harmonica, cowbells and tin cans filled with rocks. After gaining admittance, Mr. and Mrs. Stokes, as host and hostess, were found to be equal to the occasion, and a very pleasant evening was spent. Among those present were:—Lord Fitzgerald, Liza Johnston, Messrs. E. P. Kalfmann, O. E. Bohn, Wm. Pitt, J. E. Farrell, H. W. Sherrard and C. F. Godden, and the Misses Elizabeth McDonald, Hazel Dean, Josie Sands, Flossie, Charlotte, and Margurite Davis and Mary and Cecilia Farrell.

OPPOSITION TO TAXING FRANCHISES

A dispatch from Stockton says: The state board of equalizers has called on corporations to make reports on which they will be taxed under the new constitutional amendment for their state franchises, or the right to exist. With the receipt of that notice many Stockton corporations have announced their determination to disincorporate. With the federal tax, the state license tax and the new tax on franchises, corporations find it less bothersome to work as partnerships. One of the large business houses has instructed its attorney to proceed to disincorporate.

The San Mateo high school basketball team, of which Ernest Langenbach and Sheldon Perham of this city are members, won a game from a Petaluma team on Wednesday by a score of 46 to 26.

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